IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

MICHAEL E. GEIGER,

Plaintiff,

vs. Case No.: 2:13-cv-1060

JUDGE SMITH

Magistrate Judge Abel

MRS. VICKIE STRINGER, et al.,

Defendants.

ORDER

On October 28, 2013, the United States Magistrate Judge issued a *Report and Recommendation* recommending that Plaintiff's application to proceed in formal pauperis be GRANTED and that Plaintiff's Complaint be dismissed. (*See Report and Recommendation*, Doc. 4). The parties were advised of their right to object to the *Report and Recommendation*. This matter is now before the Court on Plaintiff Geiger's Objections to the *Report and Recommendation*. (*See* Doc. 8). The Court will consider the matter *de novo*. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1); Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b)(3).

The objections present the same issues presented to and considered by the Magistrate Judge in the *Report and Recommendation*. Plaintiff has failed to allege a basis for the Court to exercise subject matter jurisdiction over his claim. For the reasons stated in the *Report and Recommendation*, this Court finds that Plaintiff's objections are without merit and are hereby **OVERRULED**.

The Report and Recommendation, Document 4, is ADOPTED and AFFIRMED.

Plaintiff's Complaint is hereby dismissed in its entirety. Further, Plaintiff's Motion for Default

Judgment is hereby **DENIED AS MOOT**.

The Clerk shall remove Documents 4 and 10 from the Court's pending motions list. The

Clerk shall terminate this case.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

/s/ George C. Smith_

GEORGE C. SMITH, JUDGE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT